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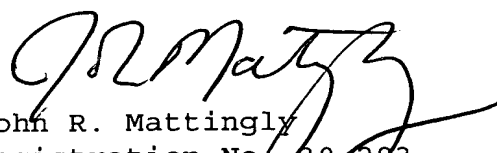
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 30, 2005, the Applicants respond to the Restriction Requirement by electing the invention of Group I, claims 1-9 without traverse.

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